

Table I.B.3.a Percent of number of full-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2018

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	101,660,551	9.7%	7.6%	13.1%	19.2%	50.5%	23.3%	76.7%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	1,433,159	15.9%	7.9%	13.3%	33.7%	29.2% *	28.7%	71.3%
Mining and manufacturing	12,127,216	3.2%	5.9%	14.2%	26.0%	50.7%	15.1%	84.9%
Construction	6,231,540	20.4%	16.3%	25.9%	22.0%	15.4%	49.4%	50.6%
Utilities and transp.	5,408,464	5.5%	5.0%	9.2%	15.7%	64.7%	14.6%	85.4%
Wholesale trade	5,759,276	9.4%	9.8%	16.7%	20.7%	43.4%	26.4%	73.6%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	11,150,471	8.8%	3.5%	6.1%	18.3%	63.3%	14.9%	85.1%
Retail trade	10,877,186	9.8%	6.7%	11.3%	12.5%	59.7%	22.4%	77.6%
Professional services	27,996,458	9.1%	7.0%	11.3%	19.1%	53.5%	21.2%	78.8%
Other services	20,676,780	12.2%	9.5%	15.5%	17.8%	44.9%	29.1%	70.9%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	71,228,919	9.5%	7.9%	13.1%	17.1%	52.3%	23.8%	76.2%
For profit, unincorporated	15,470,863	16.2%	9.9%	16.3%	21.3%	36.3%	33.3%	66.7%
Nonprofit	14,960,768	3.7%	3.5%	9.3%	26.8%	56.7%	10.7%	89.3%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	5,771,073	37.9%	18.7%	19.3%	19.1%	5.0%	66.7%	33.3%
5-9 years	6,515,792	27.0%	18.7%	24.4%	21.9%	8.1%	58.2%	41.8%
10-19 years	12,841,951	20.4%	16.4%	24.0%	24.8%	14.5%	48.1%	51.9%
20 or more years	76,531,735	4.3%	4.3%	9.8%	18.0%	63.6%	12.9%	87.1%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	64,036,868	0.1%	0.6%	3.7%	17.8%	77.7%	1.9%	98.1%
1 location only	37,623,683	25.9%	19.5%	29.0%	21.5%	4.1%	59.7%	40.3%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	1,298,863	6.8%	12.9%	17.3%	17.3%	45.8%	28.5%	71.5%
25-49 %	4,100,648	9.7%	10.5%	21.2%	21.0%	37.6%	29.8%	70.2%
50-74 %	10,659,434	13.7%	8.7%	12.6%	18.0%	46.9%	28.6%	71.4%
75% or more	85,601,606	9.2%	7.2%	12.7%	19.3%	51.6%	22.2%	77.8%
Union presence								
No union employees	82,274,723	11.6%	9.1%	15.2%	21.2%	42.9%	27.9%	72.1%
Has union employees	19,385,828	1.5%	1.1%	3.8%	10.8%	82.9%	3.9%	96.1%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low-wage	15,099,514	10.4%	8.3%	14.5%	21.0%	45.8%	25.5%	74.5%
Less than 50% low-wage	86,561,036	9.5%	7.5%	12.8%	18.9%	51.3%	22.9%	77.1%
Percent women employees								
Less than 25%	27,253,161	14.5%	11.3%	19.1%	21.4%	33.6%	35.3%	64.7%
25-49 %	25,058,181	6.6%	5.8%	10.1%	17.8%	59.7%	16.5%	83.5%
50-74 %	28,287,932	7.5%	5.2%	10.5%	18.3%	58.5%	17.4%	82.6%
75% or more	21,061,276	10.0%	8.2%	12.2%	19.0%	50.6%	23.8%	76.2%
Percent age 50 or older employees								
Less than 25%	38,990,955	11.6%	11.2%	17.5%	21.7%	38.0%	31.4%	68.6%
25-49 %	48,316,658	4.3%	4.2%	9.3%	17.5%	64.7%	12.3%	87.7%
50-74 %	11,214,426	15.7%	8.7%	14.7%	20.3%	40.5%	31.1%	68.9%
75% or more	3,138,512	47.1%	10.9%	9.7%	9.4%	22.8%	63.1%	36.9%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2018 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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Table I.B.3.a Standard errors for percent of number of full-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2018

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	1,002,152	0.16%	0.18%	0.26%	0.40%	0.52%	0.30%	0.30%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	247,121	3.30%	2.06%	3.86%	9.18%	8.78% *	5.35%	5.35%
Mining and manufacturing	398,958	0.29%	0.52%	1.01%	1.51%	1.66%	0.82%	0.82%
Construction	270,967	1.27%	1.24%	1.80%	2.13%	2.09%	2.17%	2.17%
Utilities and transp.	365,006	0.70%	0.76%	1.33%	2.12%	2.81%	1.41%	1.41%
Wholesale trade	298,209	0.87%	0.98%	1.48%	1.89%	2.75%	1.69%	1.69%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	461,170	0.62%	0.47%	0.66%	1.73%	1.89%	0.93%	0.93%
Retail trade	584,643	0.72%	0.64%	0.98%	1.17%	2.28%	1.39%	1.39%
Professional services	563,421	0.33%	0.34%	0.51%	0.77%	0.99%	0.59%	0.59%
Other services	597,406	0.52%	0.57%	0.75%	1.11%	1.52%	0.99%	0.99%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	993,098	0.21%	0.23%	0.34%	0.51%	0.69%	0.41%	0.41%
For profit, unincorporated	449,980	0.67%	0.67%	0.90%	1.26%	1.57%	1.14%	1.14%
Nonprofit	488,494	0.29%	0.31%	0.67%	1.49%	1.60%	0.58%	0.58%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	219,399	1.63%	1.45%	1.47%	2.08%	1.09%	2.15%	2.15%
5-9 years	255,137	1.35%	1.26%	1.61%	2.22%	1.25%	2.13%	2.13%
10-19 years	382,974	0.82%	0.82%	1.12%	1.47%	1.61%	1.47%	1.47%
20 or more years	992,295	0.14%	0.16%	0.29%	0.48%	0.58%	0.27%	0.27%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	952,620	0.03%	0.06%	0.18%	0.52%	0.55%	0.11%	0.11%
1 location only	508,308	0.45%	0.48%	0.60%	0.79%	0.55%	0.82%	0.82%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	54,550	0.65%	1.04%	1.35%	1.67%	2.15%	1.52%	1.52%
25-49 %	162,278	0.68%	0.80%	1.39%	1.75%	2.10%	1.42%	1.42%
50-74 %	340,023	0.66%	0.54%	0.80%	1.21%	1.65%	1.09%	1.09%
75% or more	1,039,804	0.19%	0.21%	0.31%	0.49%	0.62%	0.36%	0.36%
Union presence								
No union employees	909,215	0.19%	0.22%	0.31%	0.47%	0.61%	0.38%	0.38%
Has union employees	710,418	0.24%	0.19%	0.48%	0.95%	1.11%	0.38%	0.38%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low-wage	442,132	0.50%	0.51%	0.78%	1.37%	1.50%	0.93%	0.93%
Less than 50% low-wage	998,814	0.18%	0.21%	0.30%	0.44%	0.59%	0.34%	0.34%
Percent women employees								
Less than 25%	666,282	0.50%	0.50%	0.77%	1.01%	1.39%	0.96%	0.96%
25-49 %	718,698	0.36%	0.37%	0.57%	1.03%	1.30%	0.65%	0.65%
50-74 %	678,347	0.32%	0.36%	0.53%	0.91%	1.12%	0.61%	0.61%
75% or more	511,860	0.40%	0.42%	0.58%	0.93%	1.22%	0.73%	0.73%
Percent age 50 or older employees								
Less than 25%	708,121	0.34%	0.41%	0.53%	0.75%	1.01%	0.68%	0.68%
25-49 %	926,343	0.19%	0.21%	0.41%	0.71%	0.85%	0.38%	0.38%
50-74 %	345,323	0.72%	0.62%	0.96%	1.28%	1.63%	1.15%	1.15%
75% or more	162,147	2.48%	1.32%	1.42%	1.46%	3.24%	3.01%	3.01%

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